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FirstHealth Moore Regional Hospital proposes radiosurgery system

RALEIGH – FirstHealth Moore Regional Hospital has filed an application with the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to replace a linear accelerator with a CyberKnife robotic radiosurgery system.

The proposed \$5.7-million equipment will be located at 155 Memorial Drive, Pinehurst. A public hearing for this project will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Jan. 11 at Sandhills Community College, Room 134, Kennedy Building, 3395 Airport Road, Pinehurst.

Anyone may file written comments concerning this proposal. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than Dec. 31 at the following address:

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